

## Message Text

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FOR S/PRS; DEPARTMENT PASS NCS FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI AND WHITE  
HOUSE FOR MR. POWELL; USIA FOR IPS/PE AND IEU; BONN PASS  
ASST. SECRETARY CARTER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS R.)

SUBJECT: SECVISIT: DEPARTURE STATEMENT

REF: STATE 056619

FOLLOWING IS TRANSCRIPT OF DEPARTURE STATEMENT BY SECRETARY  
OF STATE CYRUS VANCE VNUKOVO AIRPORT, MARCH 31, 09:50 HOURS.

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I WANT TO THANK THE FOREIGN MINISTER AND OUR SOVIET HOSTS FOR  
THEIR GENEROSITY DURING OUR VISIT. IT HAS BEEN IN MY JUDGMENT  
A USEFUL VISIT. OUR OBJECTIVE IS NOT A SIMPLE ONE. REACHING  
AGREEMENT IN ARMS CONTROL MEASURES IS SOMETHING WHICH CANNOT  
BE ACCOMPLISHED OVERNIGHT. I LOOK FORWARD TO FUTURE MEETINGS  
WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTER. WE WILL BE MEETING IN MAY OF

THIS YEAR IN GENEVA. IN THE MEANTIME I AM SURE THAT BOTH  
SIDES WILL STUDY THE MATTERS WHICH WE HAVE DISCUSSED AND  
WILL FIND THAT OUR OBJECTIVES ARE SIMILAR AND  
HOPEFULLY IN THE FUTURE WE WILL BE ABLE TO FIND A WAY TO  
MOVE FORWARD AND REACH AGREEMENT IN THIS MOST VITAL AND  
IMPORTANT AREA. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

(END TEXT)

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